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SUBJECT

GOVERNMENT MOVE AGAINST THE HUANUNI MINING AREA

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1. BOLIVIAN AIR FORCES PLANES HAVE BEEN DISPATCHED TO FLY OVER THE HUANUNI MINES. PLANES DROPPED BOMBS EARLIER TODAY. AFTER TAKING THE SAN JOSE MINES, POLICE AND MILITARY ARE MARCHING TOWARDS HUANUNI.
2. ONCE HUANUNI IS TAKEN IT IS PLANNED TO MOVE ON TO SIGLO VEINTE AND OTHER MINES. ARMY REINFORCEMENTS ARE BEING SENT TO THE MINING AREAS NOW.
3. ~~SECRET~~ COMMENT: THIS APPEARS TO BE THE LONG AWAITED MOVE TO TAKE THE MINES. THE GOVERNMENT HAS FINALLY FOUND ITS PRETEXT IN THE RECENT VIOLENT DEMONSTRATIONS.)

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4. ~~SECRET~~ DISSEM: STATE ARMY AIR CINCSO.

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